

ORDINANCE NO. O-2014-__

BE IT ENACTED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF THE COUNTY OF
BENTON, STATE OF ARKANSAS, AN ORDINANCE TO BE ENTITLED:

AN ORDINANCE TO SET THE PER DIEM COMPENSATION FOR JUSTICES OF
THE PEACE ATTENDING MEETINGS OF THE QUORUM COURT

WHEREAS, That Section 2-26 of the *Code of Ordinances of Benton County* provides
that the per diem compensation for justices of the peace attending meetings of the quorum court
will be set from time to time by the quorum court; and

WHEREAS, A.C.A. §14-14-1205 defines per diem compensation and provides minimum
and maximum amounts per diem for each regular meeting and is based on attending meetings
during any single calendar day without regard to the duration of the meetings.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF THE
COUNTY OF BENTON, STATE OF ARKANSAS:

Article 1. Quorum Court members will be paid a per diem of \$175.00 per Quorum Court
meeting and \$175.00 per diem per Committee of the Whole meeting.

Article 2. Quorum Court members will additionally be paid \$100.00 per diem for
attending committee meetings of which they are a member.

Article 3. Quorum Court members may receive pay for one meeting annually from which
they are absent due to an emergency of other personal reasons.

Article 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Article 5. This ordinance shall become effective 30 calendar days after publication has
appeared.

APPROVED:

ROBERT D. CLINARD, COUNTY JUDGE
DATE SIGNED: _____

ATTEST:

TENA O'BRIEN, COUNTY CLERK

SPONSOR: JP Joel Jones

DATE ADOPTED: _____

Votes For: ____ Votes Against: ____

Abstain: ____ Present: Absent: ____

Quorum Court

Per Diem Rate